UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

BRIAN JONES,

Plaintiff,

v.

PDC ENERGY, INC., MARK E. ELLIS, BARTON R. BROOKMAN, PAMELA R. BUTCHER, PAUL J. KORUS, LYNN A. PETERSON, CARLOS A. SABATER, and DIANA L. SANDS,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:23-cv-05487-JSR

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(i), plaintiff Brian Jones ("Plaintiff") voluntarily dismisses the claims in the captioned action (the "Action") without prejudice. Because this notice of dismissal is being filed with the Court before service by defendants of either an answer or a motion for summary judgment, Plaintiff's dismissal of the Action is effective upon the filing of this notice.

Dated: July 7, 2023 Respectfully Submitted,

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